Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 09 Nov 2022 until 23:59 on Thursday 10 Nov 2022

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 09 Nov 2022 at 03:27 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for changeable conditions with rain, showers and gales at times through the rest of this week and into the weekend. Lower for the detail of these events.

Headline for Wednesday 09 Nov 2022: Bright spells and occasional showers. Windy, cold in summit gales.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 09 Nov 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
Low Likelihood

Gales
High Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Medium Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Light rain showers	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability					
20%	20%	40%	30%	30%	50%

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Weather: Bright spells and scattering of showers, the showers most likely around Ben Lawers and and the west. Rain later in the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 70% falling 30% in the evening.

Low Cloud and visibility: Occasional or extensive cloud at around 800-1200m, lowering during the evening. Visibility will be very good falling moderate in showers, occasionally poor or very poor in the evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	44/51 SW	45/52 SW	45/56 SW	45/55 SW	41/51 SW	46/57 SW	50/62 SW
900	29/36 SW	30/38 SW	32/42 SW	31/42 SW	29/39 SW	33/44 SW	34/46 SW
600	21/37 SW	22/37 SW	24/41 SW	23/40 SW	20/36 SW	23/41 SW	24/43 SW
300	7/21 W	8/23 SW	15/32 SW	13/29 SW	9/24 SW	12/29 SW	12/29 SW
Glen	6/18 SW	7/20 SW	12/25 SW	11/25 SW	9/21 SW	11/25 SW	12/27 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	2/-7	1/-8	1/-8	1/-8	1/-7	2/-6	4/-4
900	3/-3	3/-4	3/-4	3/-4	3/-4	4/-3	5/-1
600	6/0	5/0	6/0	6/0	5/0	6/1	7/2
300	7/5	7/5	8/5	8/5	7/5	8/5	9/7
Glen	7/6	7/5	9/7	9/6	8/5	9/6	10/7
Freezing Level*	1300m	1300m	1200m	1200m	1400m	1700m	2300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View

Gusts of up to 50 mph across higher ridges and summits will give difficult walking conditions during the morning, gusts increase during the afternoon to reach 60 mph when there will be a risk of being blown over.

Forecast for Thursday 10 Nov 2022

Weather: Cloudy and dry with bright spells, light rain spreads to southern parts from the afternoon.

Maximum wind: West or southwest winds average 55-65 mph with gusts 70-75 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40%

Low Cloud and visibility: Extensive cloud about 700-800m for much of the day lowers about 400-600m across southern ranges. Visibility will be mostly good.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 5 Celsius rising 13 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 6 Celsius.
Freezing level: 1200m.

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